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- STATE PLAN UNDER TITLE XIX OF THE SOCIAL SECURITY ACT

Texas

METHODS FOR TREATMENT OF RESOURCES FOR INDIVIDUALS WITH INCOMES RELATED TO FEDERAL POVERTY LEVELS

(Do not complete if you are electing more liberal methods under the authority of section 1902(r)(2) of the Act instead of the authority specific to Federal poverty levels. Use Supplement 8b for section 1902(r)(2) methods.)

The methodologies for treatment of resources for poverty level children are those required by the Food Stamp Act of 1977 (as amended), with the following exceptions:

- 1. only the resource limit (\$2000) for families with no members age 60 or older is applied; and
- 2. the value of the family's primary vehicle is exempt.

Current Food Stamp policy is found in Section A-500 of the Income Assistance Services handbook.

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